

106th TN General Assembly

First Regular Session



Wednesday, March 25, 2009

SENATE

COMMITTEE REPORTS

FINANCE, WAYS & MEANS – SHR #12 – 1:00 p.m. –

Rec. for pass., ref to Calendar – SB's 8, 22, 282, 1212, 1371, 1383, 1697, 1711, 2070, 303, 873, 944, 2044, 2045, 2235.

Action def. – SB's 1292, 1293, 440, 861, 1089, 1158, 1277, 2211, SJR 11.

Ref. to Gen. Sub. – SB's 2040, 2041, 2043.

Referred to S&L – SB 150.

GENERAL WELFARE, HEALTH & HUMAN RESOURCES – SHR #12 – 11:00 a.m. –

Rec. for pass., ref to Calendar – SB 1522.

Rec. for pass. if am., ref to Calendar – SB's 2264, 2298.

Action def. – SB's 1552, 9, 851, 2265, 809, 441, 772, 939.

Ref. to Gen. Sub. – SB 488.

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS – SHR #12 – 9:30 a.m. –

Rec. for pass., ref to Calendar – SB's 366, 326, 329, 364.

Rec. for pass. if am., ref to Calendar – SB's 1036, 994, 1002, 1054, 1022.

Action def. – HB's 361, 340, 1025, 1048.

JUDICIARY – SHR #12 – 3:00 p.m. –

Rec. for pass., ref to Calendar – SB's 475, 493, 294, 413, 2259, 866, 867.

Rec. for pass. if am., ref to Calendar – SB's 1517, 1587, 429

Rec. for pass., ref to FW&M – SB's 2271, 773.

Rec. for pass. if am., ref to FW&M – SB 192.

Failed – SB 2340.

Action def. – SJR 77, SB's 672, 673, 2115, 1907, 1516, 1520, 1497, 113, 66, 449, 444, 810.

Ref. to Gen. Sub. – SB's 295, 1395, 868, 854, 1892.

CALENDARS FOR THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 2009

Consent

1. SJR 0167 by *Barnes

Memorials, Sports - Harpeth High School Lady Indians, District 11-AA champions -

2. SJR 0168 by *Barnes

Memorials, Sports - Sycamore High School boys basketball -

3. SJR 0170 by *Ketron, Tracy

Memorials, Recognition - Donald and Alicia Blankenship, Young Farmer Achievement Award -

(Senate Consent Calendar cont.)

4. SJR 0171 by *Ketron

Memorials, Recognition - Dan and Cara June Strasser, National Young Farmer Excellence in Agriculture Award -

5. SJR 0172 by *Harper, Haynes, Henry

Memorials, Sports - Cameron High School men's basketball 55th anniversary -

6. SJR 0173 by *Yager

Memorials, Recognition - Robert Hiram Green -

7. SJR 0174 by *Yager

Memorials, Public Service - Sterling Haskel Ayers, South Campbell Rotary Club Citizen of the Year -

8. SJR 0176 by *Overbey

Memorials, Recognition - Sevier County Bank, 100th anniversary -

9. SR 0045 by *Faulk

Memorials, Personal Occasion - Frank and Juanita Catron, 75th anniversary -

10. SR 0046 by *Gresham

Memorials, Recognition - Sergeant Walter K. Singleton, Medal of Honor recipient -

11. HJR 0205 by *Fincher

Memorials, Recognition - Azurae Johnson -

12. HJR 0206 by *Hackworth, Winningham

Memorials, Sports - Clinton Middle School football team -

13. HJR 0207 by *Williams

Memorials, Professional Achievement - Ms. Patricia Roark, RN, Outstanding Faculty Member of the Year, Tennessee Technology Centers -

14. HJR 0209 by *Fincher

Memorials, Congratulations - Congratulates and honors Velma Elizabeth Thompson on her 95th birthday. -

15. HJR 0211 by *Fraley

Memorials, Recognition - Trinity Episcopal Church, 150th anniversary -

16. HJR 0212 by *Evans

Memorials, Personal Occasion - Tommy Joe and Dale Marie Haley, 50th anniversary -

17. HJR 0214 by *Cobb J

Memorials, Recognition - Colonel Wiley Harris, Distinguished Leaders Award -

Consent #2:

1. *SB 0168 by *Ketron, Stanley (HB 0306 by *Sargent)

Planning, Public - As introduced, revises the time frame for the approval or disapproval of a plat by the municipal planning commission. - Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 4, Part 3.

2. *SB 0169 by *Ketron (HB 0309 by *Sargent, McDonald, Brooks K)

Annexation - As introduced, revises the manner of amending the comprehensive growth plan after the initial three-year period following the approval of the initial growth plan. - Amends TCA Section 6-58-104(d).

3. *SB 0445 by *Overbey (HB 0957 by *McCord)

Industrial Development - As introduced, expands the membership of the board of an industrial development corporation among two or more municipalities; expands the type of obligations for which the corporation may mortgage and pledge any or all of its projects as security for their payment. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 53.

4. SB 0550 by *Norris (*HB 0305 by *Sargent)

Planning, Public - As introduced, revises exemptions from obtaining continuing education and filing requirements for professional planners whose duties include advising planning commission or boards of zoning appeals if such planners are members of the American Institute of Certified Planners. - Amends TCA Title 13.

(Consent Calendar #2 cont.)

5. SB 0551 by *Norris (*HB 0307 by *Sargent)

Planning, Public - As introduced, allows platting regulations to provide for an assessment or other method for certain improvements to be provided by the appropriate governmental entity at cost to owners of property in subdivision, instead of completion of work prior to final approval of a plat. - Amends TCA Section 13-3-403(b).

6. SB 0912 by *Burks (*HB 0580 by *Fincher, Evans)

State Symbols - As introduced, designates "milk" as the official state beverage. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 1, Part 3.

7. SB 0919 by *Burks (*HB 0278 by *Fincher)

State Symbols - As introduced, designates "agate" as the official state mineral. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 1, Part 3.

8. *SB 1917 by *Berke (HB 1558 by *Dean)

Purchasing - As introduced, authorizes the purchase of secondhand items by local governments as long as the general range of value of the item is documented through a listing in a recognized publication or through an appraisal and the price is no more than 10 percent of the documented range. - Amends TCA Section 12-3-1003.

9. *SB 1939 by *Faulk (HB 1579 by *Harrison)

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, specifies that statutory cause of action for alcohol-related injuries is in addition to common law causes of action for such injuries. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 10, Part 1.

10. *SB 1947 by *Faulk (HB 1580 by *Harrison)

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, specifies that retailers are prohibited from selling intoxicating liquors to persons who are "visibly intoxicated" or accompanying a "visibly intoxicated" person rather than someone who is "drunk" or accompanying a "drunk" person. - Amends TCA Section 57-3-406 and Section 57-5-301.

11. *SB 2039 by *Norris (HB 1989 by *Fitzhugh)

Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, requires county trustee to submit plan to comptroller regarding partial tax payments prior to the trustee's accepting partial payment of property taxes. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5.

12. SB 2233 by *Kyle, Haynes (*HB 2288 by *Tindell, Turner M)

Public Property - As introduced, increases from \$5,000 to \$25,000 the amount of goods and services, for which a source of supply has not otherwise been established, that may be procured without requisitioning such goods or services through the department of general services. - Amends TCA Section 12-3-210.

13. HJR 0177 by *Miller L, Coley, Cooper B, DeBerry J, DeBerry L, Hardaway, Jones U, Kelsey, Kernell
Naming and Designating - "Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity Day on the Hill," March 11, 2009 -

14. *SJR 0153 by *Stewart, Tate, Barnes, Marrero B, Haynes, Berke, Kyle, Herron, Finney L, Jackson
General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Expresses Tennessee's commitment to purchasing only products and services made or provided in the U.S. whenever and wherever possible with any economic recovery monies provided to Tennessee. -

15. SJR 0158 by *Burks, Finney L

Naming and Designating - "National Crime Victims' Rights Week," April 26-May 2, 2009 -

16. SJR 0159 by *Burks, Finney L

Naming and Designating - "Police Memorial Day," May 15, 2009, "Police Memorial Week," May 10-16, 2009 -

Regular

1. SB 0100 by *Berke (*HB 0213 by *Harmon)

Highway Signs - As introduced, "Sheriff Ernest Haskew Memorial Highway," segment of S.R. 2 in Marion County. -

2. SB 0242 by *Gresham (*HB 0244 by *Rich)

Highway Signs - As introduced, "Eddie L. Niles Bridge," U.S. Highway 64 in City of Somerville, Fayette County. -

(Regular Calendar cont.)

3. **SB 0268 by *Tracy, Ketron (*HB 0336 by *Carr)**
Highway Signs - As introduced, "Thomas Hutchinson Bridge," U.S. Highway 231 in Rutherford County. -
4. **SB 0389 by *Gresham (*HB 0440 by *McDaniel)**
Highway Signs - As introduced, "Joe 'Buddy' Bailey Memorial Bridge," State Route 227 in Wayne County. -
5. ***SB 1208 by *Woodson (HB 1452 by *Coleman)**
Victims' Rights - As introduced, confers immunity from civil action upon victim of crime for testimony given at offender's parole hearing unless testimony is intentionally false or defamatory. - Amends TCA Title 40.
6. ***SB 2047 by *McNally, Henry, Burchett (HB 1981 by *Fitzhugh)**
Water - As introduced, authorizes the Tennessee local development authority to charge administrative fees and expenses under the Wastewater Facilities Act of 1987 and the Drinking Water Revolving Loan Fund Act of 1997. - Amends TCA Title 68.
7. ***HB 0990 by *Lynn, Kernell, Cobb J (SB 0998 by *Johnson, Ford, O.)**
Sunset Laws - As introduced, terminates Gibson County water projects authority. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 64, Chapter 1.
8. ***SR 0035 by *Ramsey**
General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Nathaniel S. Goggans, Tennessee Ethics Commission -
9. **SB 1034 by *Johnson (*HB 1103 by *Lynn, Kernell, Cobb J)**
Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends board of claims, June 30, 2010. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 9, Chapter 8.
10. **SB 1046 by *Johnson (*HB 1034 by *Lynn, Kernell, Cobb J)**
Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends Tennessee claims commission, June 30, 2010. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 9, Chapter 8.
11. **SB 1011 by *Johnson (*HB 1079 by *Lynn, Kernell, Cobb J)**
Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends department of financial institutions, June 30, 2010. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 3.
12. **SB 1012 by *Johnson (*HB 1080 by *Lynn, Kernell, Cobb J)**
Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends department of economic and community development, June 30, 2010. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 3.
13. **SB 1058 by *Johnson (*HB 1025 by *Lynn, Kernell, Cobb J)**
Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends interstate compact for supervision of adult offenders, June 30, 2010. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 40, Chapter 28.
14. ***SB 0356 by *Johnson (HB 1042 by *Lynn, Kernell, Cobb J)**
Sunset Laws - As introduced, terminates the child care facilities corporation. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 37.
15. ***SB 0805 by *Overbey (HB 1554 by *Montgomery)**
Courts, Municipal - As introduced, authorizes creation of city court in each home rule municipality that does not have a city court established by the local governing body. - Amends TCA Title 16 and Title 17, Chapter 1.
16. ***SB 0355 by *Johnson (HB 1035 by *Lynn, Kernell, Cobb J)**
Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends Tennessee advisory commission on intergovernmental relations, June 30, 2011. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 10 and Title 4, Chapter 29.
17. ***SB 0115 by *Black, Beavers (HB 0453 by *McDonald)**
Highway Signs - As introduced, "Cora Cline Memorial Highway," segment of State Route 174 in Sumner County. -
18. **SB 0853 by *Black (*HB 0329 by *Jones S)**
Children's Services, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the department to consistently apply policies, rules, and regulations across the state; adds an annual legislative review of department rules, regulations, and policies; and requires the department to submit new policies for legislative review. - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 5, Part 1.

(Regular Calendar cont.)

19. SB 2105 by *Woodson, Burchett (*HB 1840 by *Haynes)

Registers of Deeds - As introduced, allows Knox County register to redact social security numbers on recorded documents maintained on computers or removable computer storage media. - Amends TCA Section 10-7-515.

20. *SB 0309 by *Berke, Jackson, Ketron (HB 1736 by *Fincher)

Guns - As introduced, grants a shooting range that had been in operation for at least 30 years prior to December 16, 2008, the right to continue operating at the same location and such right shall not be amended, restricted, or terminated due to zoning changes. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-316.

21. *SB 0755 by *Johnson (HB 1177 by *Sargent)

Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, specifies that if spouses file a joint federal income tax return the income of a property owner's spouse is attributable to the property owner for purposes of determining whether the property is eligible for property tax relief for elderly or disabled homeowners. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 7.

22. *SB 1214 by *Black, Burks, Ford, O., Woodson, Gresham (HB 1877 by *Richardson, Maggart, Pitts)

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, clarifies that existing residents as well as new admissions qualify for hospice care in an assisted-care living facility; clarifies that hospice services are pursuant to a patient care plan. - Amends TCA Title 68.

23. SB 1393 by *Johnson (*HB 1286 by *Casada)

Charitable Solicitations - As introduced, excludes nursing homes from the charitable solicitation statute. - Amends TCA Title 48.

24. *SB 1623 by *Beavers (HB 1876 by *Matheny)

Consumer Protection - As introduced, excludes prepaid cards that are usable with multiple, unaffiliated sellers of goods or services and/or ATM machines from the gift certificate statute. - Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18, Part 1.

25. *SB 2049 by *McNally, Henry, Burchett (HB 1979 by *Fitzhugh)

Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, reduces from three to two the number of consecutive years a utility district, water system, or wastewater facility must have a negative change in net assets in order to be considered financially distressed. - Amends TCA Section 7-82-703; Section 7-82-401 and Section 68-221-1010.

SENATE CONVENES AT 9:00 A.M., THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 2009

HOUSE

COMMITTEE REPORTS

EDUCATION – HHR #16 – 11:00 a.m. –

Rec. for pass., ref to FW&M – HB 248.

Action def. – HB's 102, 782, 849, 374, 975, HJR 33.

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS – HHR #29 – 10:00 a.m. –

Rec. for pass., ref to C&R – HB's 992, 994, 1004, 1044.

Rec. for pass. if am., ref to C&R – HB's 1029, 1034.

Rec. for pass., ref to FW&M – HB 62.

Action def. – HB's 1079, 1080, 1095, 1103.

(Committee Reports cont.)

JUDICIARY – HHR #31 – 8:30 a.m. –

- Rec. for pass., ref to C&R – HB 414.
- Rec. for pass. if am., ref to C&R – HB's 626, 748, 645.
- Rec. for pass., ref to FW&M – HB 735.
- Rec. for pass. if am., ref to FW&M – HB's 960, 814, 360.
- Action def. – HB's 620, 623, 730, 1120, 355, 1277, 250.
- Taken off notice – HB 621.

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

BUDGET – HHR #29 – 11:00 a.m. –

- Rec. for pass. – HB's 1211, 336, 273, 1494, 1820, 2110, 453, 310.
- Rec. for pass. if am. – HB's 1272, 383, 16.
- Action def. – HB's 111, 294, 343, 1287, 348, 529, 1535, HJR 32, HB 716.
- Taken off notice – HB 85.
- Behind the Budget – HB 351.

CRIMINAL PRACTICE & PROCEDURE – HHR #31 – 12:00 noon –

- Rec. for pass. – HB's 232, 264, 391, 389, 241, 1247, 1244, 2099, 2157, 1108, 1141, 1142, 4, 1146
- Rec. for pass. if am. – HB's 604, 1614, 1527, 587, 1267
- Failed – HB's 2091, 1266.
- Action def. – HB's 1593, 263, 1209, 622, 517, 520, 525, 526, 584, 2376, 109, 1880, 323, 1293, 1961, 1541, 1129, 1130, 1374, 1180.
- Taken off notice – HB's 266, 2080, 275, 27, 32, 476, 477, 548, 1374.

DOMESTIC RELATIONS – HHR #29 – 12:30 p.m. –

- Taken off notice – HB's 2, 398, 802.

HEALTH CARE FACILITIES – HHR #30 – 12:30 p.m. –

- Action def. – HB's 684, 436, 1737, 1843.

INDUSTRIAL IMPACT – HHR #30 – 10:00 a.m. –

- Rec. for pass. – HB's 2329, 1517.
- Rec. for pass. if am. – HB 888.
- Action def. – HB's 65, 396, 276, 793, 1562, 636, 1251.
- Taken off notice – HB 128.

K-12 – HHR #16 – 10:00 a.m. –

- Rec. for pass. if am. – HB 92.
- Action def. – HB's 1493, 1530, 836, 868, 1364, 947, 1371, 376, 375, 679, 885, 59, 60, 122, 948, 1560, 1682, 797, 2094, 842, 694, 883, 208, 209, 299, 553, 1170.
- Taken off notice – HB's 393, 1208, 1388, 292, 552, 777.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT – HHR #29 – 9:15 a.m. –

- Rec. for pass. – HB's 2057, 1387, 1413, 1558, 2378, 1831, 2274, 713, 1246, 2365, 1601.
- Rec. for pass. if am. – HB 1549.
- Failed – HB 108.
- Action def. – HB's 2127, 2073, 1950, 2354, 2355, 2356, 1535.
- Taken off notice – HB's 1156, 2051, 1356, 1609, 2197.

PARKS & TOURISM – HHR #16 – 12:30 p.m. –

- Rec. for pass. if am. – HB 2111.
- Action def. – HB 1308.

STATE GOVERNMENT – HHR #29 – 8:30 a.m. –

- Rec. for pass. – HB's 38, 395, 1847, 2007, 894, 616, 2288, 2256, 1628.
- Rec. for adopt. – HJR 7.
- Failed – HB 813.
- Action def. – HB 204, HJR 5, HB's 2088, 2308, 224, 2349, 670, 2357, 1630.
- Taken off notice – HB's 1850, 1951, 40.
- No Report – HB 1630.

COMMITTEE CALENDAR FOR THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 2009

CALENDAR & RULES – HHR #16 – 8:00 a.m. –

HB's 1757, 804, 298, 305, 380, HR 30, HB's 1391, 483, 509, 1611, 2309, 1041, 1045.

CALENDARS FOR THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 2009

Consent

1. HJR 0225 by *Weaver

Memorials, Academic Achievement - Shelby Lynn McElwee, Salutatorian, Smith County High School - The Abstract summarizes HJR0225 as introduced.

2. HJR 0226 by *Weaver

Memorials, Academic Achievement - Ivy Park, Salutatorian, Gordonsville High School - The Abstract summarizes HJR0226 as introduced.

3. HJR 0227 by *Weaver

Memorials, Academic Achievement - Meagan LeeAnne White, Valedictorian, Smith County High School - The Abstract summarizes HJR0227 as introduced.

4. HJR 0228 by *Halford

Memorials, Sports - Gibson County Lady Pioneers, AA State Championship 2009 - The Abstract summarizes HJR0228 as introduced.

5. HJR 0229 by *Swafford

Memorials, Recognition - Sandra Purcell, Fair Park Senior Citizen Women's History Month Award - The Abstract summarizes HJR0229 as introduced.

6. HJR 0230 by *Eldridge

Memorials, Recognition - Pat Alford, Ms. Tennessee Senior America 2009 - The Abstract summarizes HJR0230 as introduced.

7. HJR 0231 by *Favors

Memorials, Professional Achievement - B. Winfred Ruffner, Jr., M.D., 156th president of the Tennessee Medical Association - The Abstract summarizes HJR0231 as introduced.

8. HJR 0232 by *Yokley

Memorials, Personal Achievement - Shontricia Tucker, Greeneville/Greene County Boys and Girls Club 2009 Youth of the Year - The Abstract summarizes HJR0232 as introduced.

9. HJR 0235 by *Dean, McCormick, Favors, Floyd, Cobb J

Memorials, Retirement - Tommy Eason - The Abstract summarizes HJR0235 as introduced.

10. HJR 0236 by *Bone

Memorials, Academic Achievement - Christopher Bowman, Salutatorian, Cannon County High School - The Abstract summarizes HJR0236 as introduced.

11. HJR 0237 by *Bone

Memorials, Academic Achievement - Samantha Curtis, Valedictorian, Cannon County High School - The Abstract summarizes HJR0237 as introduced.

12. HJR 0238 by *Fitzhugh, Barker

Memorials, Death - Billy S. Yates - The Abstract summarizes HJR0238 as introduced.

13. HJR 0239 by *Armstrong, Tindell

Memorials, Recognition - Bingham Group - The Abstract summarizes HJR0239 as introduced.

14. SJR 0155 by *Norris

Memorials, Retirement - Dianne McPeake - The Abstract summarizes SJR0155 as introduced.

15. SJR 0156 by *Norris

Memorials, Retirement - Tim McPeake - The Abstract summarizes SJR0156 as introduced.

16. SJR 0157 by *Stewart

Memorials, Recognition - Victoria Lauren Woods - The Abstract summarizes SJR0157 as introduced.

17. SJR 0160 by *Ford, O., Barnes, Beavers, Berke, Black, Bunch, Burchett, Burks, Crowe, Faulk, Finney L

Memorials, Death - Dr. John DeBerry, Sr. - The Abstract summarizes SJR0160 as introduced.

(Consent Calendar cont.)

18. SJR 0161 by *Overbey, McNally

Memorials, Recognition - Joe Dawson, 2009 Leadership Blount Community Leadership Award - The Abstract summarizes SJR0161 as introduced.

19. SJR 0162 by *Henry, Barnes, Beavers, Berke, Black, Bunch, Burchett, Burks, Crowe, Faulk, Finney L

Memorials, Death - Archbishop William F. Forbes - The Abstract summarizes SJR0162 as introduced.

20. SJR 0163 by *Black

Memorials, Retirement - Judy Garrett - The Abstract summarizes SJR0163 as introduced.

21. SJR 0164 by *Black

Memorials, Recognition - Dong-Kurn Lee, President of Rotary International - The Abstract summarizes SJR0164 as introduced.

22. SJR 0165 by *Burchett, Woodson, McNally, Overbey

Memorials, Professional Achievement - Bruce Hartmann, 2007-2008 KAMA Outstanding Marketing Professional - The Abstract summarizes SJR0165 as introduced.

Regular

1. *HB 0533 by *Dunn (SB 0832 by *McNally)

Open Meetings - As introduced, deletes the statutory sunset provision previously established for the provisions of Sections 8-44-108(b) and 8-44-109, relative to electronic participation in certain meetings. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 44, Part 1.

2. *HB 0291 by *Sargent (SB 0114 by *Black)

Regional Authorities and Special Districts - As introduced, expands the powers of the Greater Nashville regional council to include owning or leasing real and personal property as necessary to fulfill the duties and responsibilities of the regional council. - Amends TCA Section 64-7-110. - The Abstract summarizes HB0291 as introduced.

3. HB 1084 by *Lynn, Kernell, Cobb J (*SB 0378 by *Johnson)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends department of safety, June 30, 2010. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 3.

4. HB 1725 by *Lundberg, Mumpower (SB 1950 by *Ramsey)

Bristol - As introduced, subject to local approval, removes recall, initiative, and referendum provisions from charter. - Amends amend Chapter 84 of the Private Acts of 1991; as amended. - The Abstract summarizes HB1725 as introduced.

5. HB 0082 by *Shaw, Fincher, Rich, Lollar (*SB 0019 by *Gresham, Ford, O.)

Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, authorizes current and retired judges who possess a handgun carry permit to carry a firearm under same circumstances and conditions as law enforcement officers and correctional officers. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. - The Abstract summarizes HB0082 as introduced.

6. HB 0921 by *Eldridge, Hawk, Coley, Montgomery (*SB 0073 by *Tracy, Finney L)

Education - As introduced, removes restriction on commercial advertising on school buses that requires such advertising to be composed of black lettering on a white background. - Amends TCA Section 49-6-2109(e).

7. *HB 0069 by *Fincher (SB 0476 by *Berke)

Witnesses - As introduced, prohibits a party in a divorce proceeding from testifying against the party's incapacitated or mentally incompetent spouse. - Amends TCA Title 24, Chapter 1.

8. HB 1877 by *Richardson, Maggart, Pitts (*SB 1214 by *Black, Burks, Ford, O., Woodson, Gresham)

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, clarifies that existing residents as well as new admissions qualify for hospice care in an assisted-care living facility; clarifies that hospice services are pursuant to a patient care plan. - Amends TCA Title 68. - The Abstract summarizes HB1877 as introduced.

9. *HB 0054 by *Swafford (SB 0070 by *Bunch)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates Class A misdemeanor offense of owner or employee of intellectual property seizing property alleged to be counterfeit or imitation but permits seizures by law enforcement officers as currently provided by law. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 14 and Title 47.

(Regular Calendar cont.)

10. HB 1665 by *Todd (*SB 1912 by *Norris)

Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, allows a commissioned reserve deputy sheriff as authorized in writing by the sheriff to carry firearms as a law enforcement officer. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1350. - The Abstract summarizes HB1665 as introduced.

11. *HB 1056 by *Lynn, Kernell, Cobb J (SB 1033 by *Johnson, Harper)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends advisory committee on women's health, June 30, 2015; requires committee to appear before government operations joint subcommittee by August 2010, to update the joint subcommittee on advisory committee activities. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 68, Chapter 1.

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